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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF
OF AMERICAN OWNERSHIP FOR VESSELS

REF 7 FAM 570; MEMCON TO EA/J SYLVESTER-KAMEYA, 8/14/74;

MEMCON TO EA/J COCHRAN-KUMASHIRO, 8/19/74

1. REQUEST DEPT GRANT AUTHORITY TO ISSUE FOUR CERTIFICATES OF
AMERICAN OWNERSHIP FOR VESSELS OWNED BY AMERICAN CITIZEN MARK A. LYONS,

TRADING AS FAR EAST MARINE SERVICE. PERTINENT DATA REGARDING THE
VESSELS FOLLOWS.

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2. NAME OF VESSEL: DAWN ZEPHYR. CLASSIFICATION: CABIN CRUISER,
TWIN DIESEL ENGINE, REGISTRATION NO. 3-P-119 (CONVERTED AVR SERVICE
CRAFT). FORMER NATIONALITY: AMERICAN (PURCHASED FROM PROPERTY DISPOSAL

OFFICE OF DEFENSE SUPPLY AGENCY). TONNAGE: APPROX. 53 GROSS TONS.
MEASUREMENTS: LOA-63'4", BEAM-15'4", DRAFT-4'. CREWS: MARK A. LYONS
AND OTHER LICENSED OPERATORS. PURCHASER EXPECTS TO OPERATE THE VESSEL
IN THE WATERS SURROUNDING OKINAWA PREFECTURE, JAPAN. THE VESSEL WILL
BE
USED FOR BUSINESS AUTHORIZED BY FOREIGN INVESTMENT LICENSES; I.E.
CHARTER
OF BOATS TO GENERAL PUBLIC FOR SPORTSFISHING AND PLEASURE, AND/OR TO
OWNERS, OPERATORS AND AGENTS OF U.S. MILITARY CHARTERED SHIPS TO
PROVIDE
BOAT SERVICES TO OFFICERS, CREWS, AGENTS' PERSONNEL, AND BOAT SUPPLIERS.

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3. NAME OF VESSEL: DAWN. CLASSIFICATION: CABIN CRUISER, DIESEL ENGINE, REGISTRATION NO. 3-P-120, (CONVERTED OFFSHORE PATROL BOAT), FORMER NATIONALITY: JAPANESE. TONNAGE: APPROX. 26 GROSS TONS, APPROX. 10 NET TONS. MEASUREMENTS:LOA-55',LWL-51', BEAM-14', DRAFT-4'. CREWS: MARK A.LYONS AND OTHER LICENSED OPERATORS. PURCHASER EXPECTS TO OPERATE THE VESSEL IN THE WATERS SURROUNDING OKINAWA PREFECTURE, JAPAN, VESSEL WILL BE USED FOR BUSINESS AS OUTLINED IN PARA 2.

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4.NAME OF VESSEL: DAY BREAK. CLASSIFICATION: CABIN CRUISER, DIESEL ENGINE, REGISTRATION NO. 3-P-113(CONVERTED OFFSHORE PATROL BOAT),

FORMER NATIONALITY: JAPANESE. TONNAGE: APPROX.26 GROSS TONS, APPROX. 10 NET TONS. MEASUREMENTS: LOA-55', LWL-51', BEAM-14', DRAFT-4'. CREWS: MARK A.LYONS AND OTHER LICENSED OPERATORS. PURCHASER EXPECTS TO OPERATE THE VESSEL IN THE WATERS SURROUNDING OKINAWA PREFECTURE, JAPAN/. VESSEL WILL BE USED FOR BUSINESS AS OUTLINED IN PARA 2.

5. NAME OF VESSEL: DAYSTAR. CLASSIFICATION: CABIN CRUISER, DIESEL ENGINE REGISTRATION NO. 3-P-95(CONVERTED OFFSHORE PATROL BOAT). FORMER NATIONALITY: JAPANESE. TONNAGE: APPROX 26 GROSS TONS, APPROX. 10 NET TONS. MEASUREMENTS:LOA-55', LWL-51', BEAM-14', DRAFT-4'. CREWS: MARK A.LYONS AND OTHER LICENSED OPERATORS. PURCHASER EXPECTS TO OPERATE THE VESSEL IN THE WATERS SURROUNDING OKINAWA PREFECTURE, JAPAN. VESSEL WILL BE USED FOR BUSINESS AS OUTLINED IN PARA 2.

6. AFTER INVESTIGATION OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE SALE OF THE VESSELS, AMCONGEN NAHA IS CONVINCED TRANSFERS MADE IN GOOD FAITH AND RECOMMENDS THAT WE BE GIVEN AUTHORITY TO ISSUE THE DESIRED CERTIFICATES.

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7. SINCE WE THINK THE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL RAISE THE QUESTION OF FAR EAST MARINE SERVICE AND THE COMMITMENTS MADE BY THE GOJ IN THE AICHI-MEYER LETTER WITH THE AMBASSADOR DURING HIS OCT 4 VISIT TO OKINAWA, WE WOULD UNCLASSIFIED

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APPRECIATE IT IF DEPT COULD GRANT TO US BY CABLE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES BY COB OCT 3.

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